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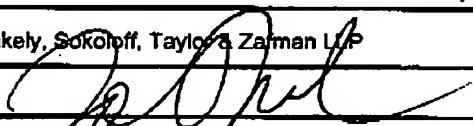
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed December 30, 2004, please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.

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